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By the Seaside.

By the sea-shore at eve I stand,
Holding on to my hat with one hand.

The sun has sunk 'neath the silvery sea,
The autumn breeze blows cold to me.

Why do I linger so long alone?
There's a charm for me in yon wave-washed stone.

Long years ago, when my life was young,
In the golden time that poets have sung,

Together we sat on that stone so wet—
How sharp it was I remember yet!

I asked her, 'Lucy, you'll be my wife?
Darling, I love you far more than my life.'

And then she answered, 'I am so vexed,
But I'm to be married. this month or ne[xt]

'I should have told you...... Always a friend......
I'd no idea......' so on to the end.

Soon were you married, my love, my de[ar]
And soon your husband found out, I he[ar]

That you had a temper: and he—ah, w[ell]
How much you try him no words can te[ll]

No wonder I love, by the sounding sea,
The place where Lucy said 'No' to me.

A 'SPIRITUALISTIC' FEAT.—Mr. Maskelyne claims to perform the following remakable feat at the Egyptian Hall London:—"The spirit from John King commands the fetters to drop from the hands and feet of the performer. The spirit, without touching Mr. Maskelyne, brings him from the cabinet to the committee, who examine and testify that there are no ropes attached. Mr. Maskelyne thereupon gradually ascends from the stage, and, following the pointed direction of the spirit, floats in the air over the audience and within a few inches of the lofty dome in the centre of the hall. The body then changes position and returns to the stage in a horizontal position. During the whole time a brilliant light is thrown upon the body, clearly showing that there are no suspenders either over the head or under the feet."

If there is a Plimsoll in America, his place is in Congress. The reform which he forced upon the British Government ought to be extended across the Atlantic. The murder of American seamen and passengers by drowning them in rotten vessels—that are well insured—is a subject that wants a thorough overhauling in all its details. The standard of seaworthiness should be elevated so that a vessel that is not in every respect perfectly sound and staunch can not be rated for service, and then such regulations should be made as would cause inspectors to feel that the peril of passing an unseaworthy vessel was too great for any consideration to induce them to wink at the least departure from the requirements of the law. This last regulation, we apprehend, is the one most needed.

A PIONEER JUSTICE.—The newspapers are publishing the docket of a Tuolumne County Justice of the Peace who held office in 1850. An extract from his minutes of a case is thus given: "N. B.—Barber, the lawyer for George work, incolently told me there were no law for me to rool so. I told him I didn't care a d— for his lawbook, that I was the law myself. He continued to jaw back. I told him to shut up but he wouldn't. I fined him $50 and committed him to goal for five days for contempt of court in bringing my roolings and dissions into disreputablness and as a warning to unrooly persons not to contradict this court."

THIS is the kind of juror they like in New York:

Isaac Levi, a solemn looking young man, was drawn from the second panel of one hundred jurors, and was at once put under the fire of the lawyer's examination. The District Attorney asked him whether he had any conscientious scruples on the subject of capital punishment? Levi—I never read a word about it. District Attorney (laughing)—I did not ask you whether you read or had not; I ask you if you have any scruples on the subject of capital punishment? Levi—No, sir; I was sick at the time. District Attorney—What do you mean? Juror—I was sick and didn't read the papers. (Laughter.) District Attorney (laughing)—I want you to tell me whether you have any scruples on the subject of capital punishment? Juror (shaking his head)—No, sir. District Attorney—Do you know what capital punishment is? Juror (emphatically)—No, sir (great laughter). He was immediately accepted as the fourth juror.

PHILIP JAMES, M.D., Physician and Accoucheur of 45 years experience, offers his services to the inhabitants of Victoria. Extracts Polypus and Cancer without the use of the knife. Rheumatic pains cured in one hour. Pandora street, above the Synagogue.

Mrs. James presents her compliments to the ladies of Victoria as a practical Midwife of 20 years experience. * *

A marine engineer at Pola, in Austria, has constructed a gun on a new principle of his own invention, by which the resistance of the atmosphere, instead of impeding the progress of the shot, is applied to increase the rapidity of its course. The new gun has been tested in one of the largest gun factories on the continent, and said to have produced astonishing results. Though the gun is not larger than the new Austrian field-gun, the initial velocity of the shot was upwards of 2,000 feet, and was found to have increased after the shot had left the barrel. The accuracy of its fire was also remarkable, and is stated to have surpassed that of most rifled guns. The projectile is made of a combination of steel and lead.

DR. J. COLLIS BROWNE'S
(Ex Army Med Staff)

CHLORODYNE

IS THE ORIGINAL AND ONLY GENUINE.

CAUTION—Vice-Chancellor Sir W P Wood stated that Dr. COLLIS BROWNE was undoubtedly the inventor of CHLORODYNE; that the story of the defendant, Freeman, being the inventor was deliberately untrue which he regretted had been sworn to. Eminent Hospital Physicians of London stated that Dr J Collis Browne was the discoverer of Chlorodyne: that they prescribe it largely and mean no other than Dr Browne's—See TIMES, July 12, 1864.

The Public therefore are cautioned against using any other than

DR J. COLLIS BROWNE'S CHLORODYNE.

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This INVALUABLE REMEDY produces quiet, refreshing sleep, relieves pain, calms the nervous system restores the deranged functions and stimulates healthy action of the secretions of the body without creating any of those unpleasant results attending the use of opium. Old and young may take it at all hours and times when requisite. Thousands of persons testify to its marvelous good effects and wonderful cures while medical men extol its virtues most extensively using it in great quantities in the following diseases:—

Diseases in which it is found eminently useful—Cholera, Dysentery, Diarrhœa, Colics, Coughs, Asthma Cramp Rheumatism, Neuralgia, Cough, Hysteria, &c.

The Right Hon Earl Russell communicated to the College of Physicians and J T Davenport that he had received information to the effect that the only remedy of any service in Cholera was Chlorodyne.—See Lancet Dec 31, 1864.

From A Montgomery, Esq., late inspector of Hospitals, Bombay: Chlorodyne is a most valuable remedy for Neuralgia, Asthma and Dysentery. To it I fairly owe my restoration to health after eighteen months severe suffering, and when other medicines had failed

Dr. Lowe, Medical Missionary in India reports (Dec 1865) that in nearly every case of Cholera in which Dr Collis Brownes' Chlorodyne was administered the patient recovered.

Extract from Medical Times, Jan 10, 1866—Chlorodyne is prescribed by scores of orthodox remedial practitioners. Of course it would not thus be singularly popular did it not supply a want and fill a place.

Extract from the general Board of Health, London, as to its efficacy in Cholera.—So strongly are we convinced of the immense value of this remedy that we cannot too forcibly urge the necessity of adopting it in all cases,

Beware of spurious and dangerous compounds sold as CHLORODYNE from which frequent fatal results have followed

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no18 JAMES BLAND.

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PARTIES intending to make application to Parliament for Private Bills, either for granting exclusive privileges, or conferring corporate powers for commercial or other purposes of profit, or for doing anything tending to affect the rights or property of other parties, are hereby notified that they are required by the Rules of the two Houses of Parliament (which are published in full in the "Canada Gazette,") to give TWO MONTHS' NOTICE of the application (clearly and distinctly specifying its nature and object), in the "Canada Gazette" and also in a newspaper published in the County or Union of Counties affected, sending copies of the Papers containing the first and last of such notice to the Private Bill Office of each House.

All Petitions for Private Bills must be presented within the FIRST THREE WEEKS of the Session.

The Fee now payable for a Private Bill is Two HUNDRED DOLLARS.

ROBERT LEMOINE, Clerk of the Senate.
ALFRED PATRICK, Clerk of the House of Commons.
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TONGUES, GAME, POULTRY,
PLUM PUDDINGS,
LEA & PERRINS' WORCESTERSHIRE SAUCE.

Fresh supplies of the above and numerous other table delicacies may always be had of every storekeeper.

CAUTION.

To prevent the fraud of refilling the bottles or jars with native productions, they should invariably be destroyed when empty.

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and to see that their names are upon the Wrapper, Label, Stopper, and Bottle.

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Postal.

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Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 4th, 14th and 24th of each Month	About the 10th, 20th and 30th of each month.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M.	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 6 P.M.
New Westminster	Wednesday 3 P.M.	Monday at 7 P.M.
Cariboo and Intermediate Offices.	Saturday 3 P.M.	Thursday 7 P.M.
Nanaimo and East Coast Offices	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6.30 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A. M. and 4 P. M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P. M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A. M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

On Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 8 A. M. to 7 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.

HENRY WOOTTON, Postmaster.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st Nov., 1875. no4

Municipal.

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

SCALE OF CHARGES FOR WATER

Dwellings containing not over 4 Adults, $1 per m'th.
do do over 4 Adults, by agreement.
Bathrooms, Gardens and Private Stables extra by agreement.

Rates for other occupations can be obtained at the office on application.

JAS. D. ROBINSON, Water Commissioner.
City Council Chambers, Broad street, Aug. 26th, 1875. au27

VICTORIA WATER WORKS.

PERSONS WHO DESIRE TO HAVE Water service to their premises on any street where the mains are laid, will please make application as early as convenient.

Scale of Charges and cost of service, also form of application, can be had at my office.

JAMES D. ROBINSON, Commissioner.
City Council Chambers, Broad street, Aug. 27th, 1875. au28

Municipal--Tenders.

THAT TENDERS BE INVITED FOR A Gravel Sidewalk on the north side of Richardson street, between Vancouver street and Cook street, to a width of 10 feet and a depth of 6 inches. Further information can be obtained at the City Surveyor's Office. The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

City Clerk's Office, Dec. 1, 1875. de2

CITY OF VICTORIA,
PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Mayor will preside at the Police Court, Broad street, on

Tuesday, the 21st inst.,
AT 2 O'CLOCK, P. M.,

To grant Retail Liquor Licenses for the City of Victoria for the six months commencing on the First day of January, 1876.

Applications for Licenses will be received by the Clerk of the Court until 2 o'clock p.m. on Saturday, the 18th inst.

By order of the Mayor,
WILLIAM LEIGH, C. P. C.
City Police Court, 3d Dec., 1875. de4

In the Legislative Assembly. Session 1875 6.

NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT IT IS INTENDED to make application to the Legislative Assembly during the next ensuing session for leave to bring in a Bill to consolidate and amend the Ordinances and Statutes now in force relating to the Corporation of the City of Victoria.

Dated this 3d day of December, 1875.
WM LEIGH, Clerk Municipal Council.
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Wanted.

Wanted.

A SUITE OF THREE BEDROOMS AND a sittingroom, or a small furnished house, are wanted. Apply to "G," by letter at THIS OFFICE.
no30lw

A Card to the Public.

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WATCH AND CLOCK MAKER
FROM LONDON,

And being in the employ of the American Watch Co, Waltham, Mass, six years, also having worked for the California Watch Company, San Francisco, California, and being desirous of settling permanently in Victoria, British Columbia, I am prepared to

Clean & Repair Watches and Clocks
ON THE SHORTEST NOTICE.

Hoping to secure the favor and good will of the inhabitants at large, I respectfully subscribe myself, CHARLES KNIGHT.

N.B.—Mrs. Knight will attend to Dress-Making and Cutting Patterns to suit. Also to the trimming and making of Bonnets and hats.

Room 4, Globe Hotel, Fort Street.
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FISHING LINES all sizes and lengths, of Italian Hemp, Russian Hemp and Cotton.

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All these goods are noted for their great strength and durability, being made of the best materials procurable. The attention of WHOLESALE HOUSES is especially directed to their goods.

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He hereby gives us authority to thank his friends for their kind assistance towards his promotion, and notifies them and the public that he will have no stop keys while he has charge of the institution to shut them off; but will be glad to give them a hearty welcome, and will exercise his well-known courtesy and kindness to everyone.

F. G. RICHARDS,
Prop'r Post Office Saloon,
GOVERNMENT ST., opp. the Hook & Ladder House.
VICTORIA, Aug. 7, 1875. no7

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Real Estate Agent
Government St., near Corner of Broughton.

WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property; in negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his Bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some, of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.

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Surgeon and Physician,
CORMORANT ST., opp. Orleans Hotel.

CERTIFIED BY ENGLISH AND AMERIcan Consuls at Canton as being duly qualified, respectfully solicits the attention of the afflicted.
no11 1m

ON HING,
Dealer in
Groceries, Dry Goods,
Boots and Shoes, Clothing, Hats and Caps
HAS REMOVED

To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. ja11 2m

Notices.

Proceeds of Bazaar
IN AID OF
ST. JOSEPH'S HOSPITAL.

VICTORIA, November 29th, 1875.

From Mrs. Denny, for Furniture	$341 75
Misses Kelley and Petrie, Toy Table	209 55
Misses Huston and Macauley, Grand Raffle	221 00
Mrs. Moore, Mrs McTiernan and Mrs. Beckingham's Table	167 95
Mrs. Huston & Mrs. Duck, Refreshment Table	154 55
Mrs. Nicholson's Table	146 50
Mrs. Boscowitz and Mrs. Kent's Table	121 75
Mrs. Starr and Miss Helmcken's Table	86 42
Misses Cassin and Tynon, Postoffice	68 00
Mrs. Louis McQuade, Watch	60 00
Misses Cameron and Petrie, Confectionery	59 49
Miss Macauley, Velvet Cushion	35 00
Miss Heywood, Fire Screen	32 00
Mrs. Boscowitz and Mrs. Kent, Blue Cushion	30 00
Miss Huston, Tablecloth	25 00
Miss J. Cameron, Grab-bag	16 05
Mrs. Heywood, IceCream	14 50
From Door	132 25
Cash for articles not enumerated—From Master McKeon, Master Moore, Mrs. Heywood, Miss Helmcken, Miss Baxter, Miss Heywood, Miss Huston, Miss Macauley, Mrs. Louis McQuade, Mrs. Eastwood, Misses Phillips, Misses Petrie, Miss Dolly Helmcken, Misses Cameron, Mrs. Keast, Mrs. Kelley	200 00
	$2,120 76
Mayor Drummond	5 50
Joshua Davies, donation	10 00
H. Rudolph	25 00
John Gerritson, donation	12 00
	$2,173 26
Expenses for Hall, Gas, Printing, Orchestra	72 00
Nett Proceeds	$2,101 26

While publishing the above list, handed them by Mrs. McQuade, Treasurer, the Sisters of St. Ann beg to express their sincere thanks to the public of Victoria for their kind and charitable patronage bestowed upon the good work of St. Joseph's Hospital.
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Canadian Pacific Railway.

THE OFFICES OF THE CANADIAN PAcific Railway have been removed to
Dominion Block,
Opposite the Bank of British Columbia on Government street. oc5

To Be Let.

TWO HANDSOME OFFICES IN THE COLONIST BUILDING. The best on the street.
se11tf Apply to D. W. HIGGINS.

In the matter of G. B. Murray, of the City of New Westminster, Stationer and Dealer in Fancy Goods, an Insolvent.

THE STOCK-IN-TRADE AND GOOD-WILL of the above business is for sale by tender.

The stock has been taken at cost price as shown by stock-book, and will be sold at a discount therefrom, and can be seen on application to the official assignee, New Westminster. Tenders to be sent addressed to the official assignee as above on or before 12 o'clock noon, on Saturday, 11th December.

Terms—One third cash, balance in 2 and 3 months on satisfactorily endorsed notes.

JAMES MORRISON, Official Assignee.
Dated New Westminster, Nov. 30, 1875. de2

TUITION.

A LADY WILL BE GLAD TO RECEIVE A few children between the ages of 7 and 12 to educate with her own family. For further information inquire of MRS. NEWTON, Katesey, Fraser River.
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NOTICE.

PARTIES FOUND IN POSSESSION OF
Mules or Horses,
BELONGING TO THE
CANADIAN PACIFIC RAILWAY SURVEY,
Without written authority after this notice,
WILL BE PROSECUTED ACCORDING TO LAW.
By order,
MARCUS SMITH.
VICTORIA, 14th Dec., 1874. de15dw

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the firm of Jesse and H. M. Cowper will please hand in the same; and those indebted to the firm will please pay their accounts.

JESSE & H. M. COWPER.
January 21st, 1875. ja22

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept Coin for Rent, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG

MR. HELMCKEN

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE Victoria, between the hours of 9 and 12 in the morning, or at his residence, James Bay, in the evening mh4

Mr. W. JACKSON,
(Late Resident Surgeon, Royal Hospital.)

MAY BE CONSULTED AT HIS OFFICE, Yates street, opposite Langley street, daily from 9 a.m. till 12 m., and 6 to 9 p.m.

Mr. Jackson has opened in connection with his Yates street office

A Retail Drug Store.
☞ PRESCRIPTIONS DISPENSED. ☜

RESIDENCE—Michigan street, James' Bay.
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NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS ARE HEREBY CAUTIONed from purchasing or negotiating for the purchase of one full share in each of the following named Mining Claims, viz:

1 Full Share in the Eureka Co., McDame Creek,
1 Full Share in the Alpha Co., Dease Creek,

Both situated in the district of Cassiar, British Columbia, and recorded in the name of Alex. McNaughton, the same being the joint property of the undersigned. GEO. MURDOCK.
Dease Creek, Oct. 15th, 1875. no18

LOST.

A PROMISSORY NOTE FOR $204 DRAWN by Martin & Hart, dated 20th November, 1875, payable 30 days after date at the Bank of British Columbia to H. Gerke & Co. or order, and endorsed by them.

All persons are hereby cautioned not to negotiate the said note, as payment has been stopped.
Victoria, 22d Nov., 1875. no23

HEE GEE,
WASHING, IRONING & FLUTING

HAS REMOVED TO YATES STREET opposite the American Hotel.

Has had ten years experience in the best Laundries in the United States upon the most difficult work.

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DEALER IN
Groceries, Provisions and Liquors,

Fresh Supplies by every steamer. Highest Cash Prices Paid for Farm Produce.

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☞ MINERS' SUPPLIES for Cassiar. jy5

Daily British Colonist.

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 11TH, 1875.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

Ignoring the House.

No better evidence of the contemptuous indifference of the Ministry to the wants and wishes of the country as constitutionally expressed through the House of Assembly can be found than in the tacit acknowledgment of the Government organ that an emphatic "NO," has been returned to the proposition contained in the Minute of Council lately published from Ottawa Insignificant as the sum offered in lieu of the Island Railway really is, it was nevertheless a high-handed proceeding of our Government to pass upon its merits without first seeking the advice of the new House. The flat refusal to negotiate on the basis laid down by the Minute of Council has repeated the mistake of the Mintry in the case of the Edgar propositions, and gives Canada another excuse for delaying the commencement of the railway! Is such a concession desirable? Is there a man in the country who is not heartily sick of the delays that have already taken place in the inauguration of an enterprise the promise of which tempted British Columbia into Confederation? The refusal to negotiate with Edgar rendered an appeal to England necessary, and involved a delay of one year. The refusal of the Ministry to place the Carnarvon Settlement before the country or House for approval or rejection killed the Island Railway Bill in the Senate and precipitated the present crisis; and the refusal to ask the opinion of the House upon the Minute of Council slams the door in the face of Canada and causes still further delay. We do not experience a feeling of surprise, however, at the attitude of the Ministry towards the House. Of the four Ministers three were lifelong opponents of Constitutional Government until they saw a chance to make something out of it. The Premier's vote stands recorded on the journals of three sessions of the Legislative Council against the introduction of responsible institutions. On the eve of the adoption of the original Terms of Union the honorable gentleman's name appears among the "noes" on a proposition to enter the Union with representative institutions. The studied refusal of the Ministry to consult the people on any subject of importance, is, therefore, not in the least to be wondered at. Where surprise occurs is that the quartette have not seized the reins of Government and declared themselves dictators. Since they have studiously ignored the House on all matters affecting Federal relations, we are prepared for anything. The Ministry were probably right in their conjecture that the House would not accept the New Term; but that is no reason why the House should have been denied the exercise of its constitutional privilege of passing upon its merits. Legislatures have been known to reject estimates; but none save a traitor to responsible institutions ever dreamed of declining to ask the opinion of the House upon them. The Ministry cannot say they were pressed for time. We have evidence at hand that the proposition contained in the Minute of Council was in the hands of the Local Government before the 1st of September—before, indeed, the elections were sprung on the country. Why was not the proposition laid before the country then? Why were the dispatches burked until the elections were over, and then only thrown to the public, much as a bone is tossed to a dog, after a refusal to entertain it had been sent to Canada? The difficulty the new House will have to grapple with is this: *that there is practically no proposition before the country.* The refusal of the Walkem Ministry to take the House into its confidence and ask them to legislate on the Carnarvon Settlement, which was secured at the expense of a year's delay and a heavy draft on the treasury, destroyed that opportunity to arrange the railway question on a practical, business-like basis. The refusal to lay the New Term before a House fresh from the people for an expression of their opinion on the weighty matter, has closed negotiations and given Canada at least another year's grace. Had the Minute of Council been laid before the House for its action a resolution calling for a fulfillment of the Carnarvon Settlement would have been unanimously passed. As the Ministry have fixed matters, in the words of Mr. Speaker, "there is nothing before the House"—except, indeed, a vote of want of confidence in a Ministry that has for a third time shown it has no confidence in the House!

New Advertisements.

ITALIAN OPERA.

To the Public of Victoria.

IT IS PROPOSED BY THE MARSTON-BIANCHI TROUPE, should sufficient inducement be offered, to give at Victoria four representations of Italian Opera, interspersed with favorite English and other ballads, the representations to be given during or about the holiday week.

SEASON TICKETS, admitting the holder to the series with the privilege of Reserved Seats without extra charge, have been fixed at $5 each.

The following Operas will be given:

1st—IL TROVATORE,
2nd—LUCRETIA BORGIA,
3rd—ERNANI,
4th—{1st Act of Lucia di Lammermoor, 1st Act of Barbiere de Seville.

With a Concert Selection between every act each night.

Season Subscription Lists are open at T. N. Hibben & Co's, J. Bagnall's Music Store, J. H. Turner & Co's, A. B. Gray & Co's, Brown & White's, Denny & Spencer's, C. E. Redfern's, G. W. A. Lange's, H. Rudolph's, St. George Hotel, Driard House, Metropolitan Restaurant, and Wells, Fargo & Co's, and should the subscriptions be sufficient, the troupe will be engaged.

Victoria, B. C., Dec. 7, 1875. de8

SPORTSMEN ATTENTION!

A FIFTY-DOLLAR BANK OF BRITISH COLUMBIA NOTE

WILL BE SHOT FOR ON SATURDAY the 18th December, at Parson's Bridge Hotel. Twenty-five Tickets at $2 50 per ticket. Three shots each, String Measure. Open to every class of rifle. Bar Globe sights. Distance 100 yards.

A good Free Lunch will be provided.

There will also be the usual shooting for

Fat Geese, Turkies, &c.

Shooting to commence at 10 o'clock, sharp.

Tickets for the Note can be obtained from the leading saloons in town, or from the undersigned.

de11td P. CALVERT, Proprietor.

FOUND.

CAME TO THE BURNSIDE FARM ON Monday, 6th inst., two Cows, light red with white faces and bellies, and two Calves at foot. The Calves have ropes on. The owner can have the same by paying for this advertisement. de11

$5 REWARD!

LOST—A HOUND PUPPY—TAN & BLACK. Apply at

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COLUMBIA LODGE, No. 2.

ALL THE MEMBERS OF THIS LODGE are requested to attend on next Wednesday Evening the 15th inst., as business of the utmost importance will then come up.

By order of the N. G.

de11 W. HARRISON, Rec. Sec.

GRAND SCOTTISH

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PHILHARMONIC HALL,

On Tuesday Even'g, Dec. 14th, '75

MR. J. C. FERGUSSON,

The Scottish Lecturer and Vocalist,

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POETRY,

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The Poetry, by Choice Selections; the Humor, by Racy Anecdotes; the Music, by a performance on

THE GREAT HIGHLAND BAGPIPES;

And the Song by the singing of

THE CHOICEST SCOTTISH SONGS;

The whole forming a most enjoyable evening.

ADMISSION—Front Seats $1. Back Seats 50 Cents. Commence at 8 o'clock. de11

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WILL ONLY MAKE ONE TRIP ON THE Christmas and following week, leaving Victoria on Tuesday the 21st and returning on the 23rd, and on the 28th returning on the 30th. de10

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Glorious and Rollicking Saturday Night Bill.

Saturday Evening, Dec. 11th.

The Sensational Nautical Drama entitled

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ALICE - - - - - - - - ADELE LEIGHTON
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Ben - - - - - - - - J. A. Herne

To conclude with the thrilling Irish drama in four acts of

KATHLEEN MAVOURNEEN.

Kathleen (with songs) - - - - Mrs. F. M. Phelps
Terrance O'Moore - - - - - - J. A. Herne

Tuesday (by request) Lady of Lyons.
In rehearsal—Pygmalion and Galatea.

PRICES OF ADMISSION:

Dress Circle & Parquette - - - $1 00
Pit - - - - - - - - - - 50
Private Boxes - - - - - $8 and $6

Doors open at 7:30, commence at 8 o'clock precisely. Reserved Seats for sale at the Jewelery Store of C. E. Redfern's (late Jungermann's.) de10

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BEST NANAIMO COAL, well Screened and kept under cover, at $9 per ton of 2,000 lbs.

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Government street, at a great reduction from Cost Price, offers the whole of the valuable goods for sale during the next

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In order to clear off the Stock before the New Year, in which he will be assisted by Mr. J. L. Jungermann, who has kindly consented to remain till after the Holidays

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NOTICE.

HAVING DISPOSED OF MY BUSINESS and being about to leave the Province, all persons having claims against me will please present them for payment forthwith, and all who are indebted to me will please call and settle their accounts.

de3 1m J. L. JUNGERMANN.

British Columbia Agricultural and Horticultural Society.

AN ADJOURNED MEETING FOR THE election of officers will be held at the City Council Chambers on Friday the 10th inst., at 4 o'clock, p. m. THOS. RUSSELL, Secty.

Victoria, 4th Dec., 1875. de4dw

JAMES SYME,

ARCHITECT,

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FINE GOLD AND SILVER WATCHES,
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LATEST PATTERN IN ELECTRO PLATE,
A LARGE VARIETY IN CLOCKS.

C. R. takes this opportunity of returning thanks for past favors and invites his customers and the public of British Columbia generally to inspect his Stock, which they will find to be far superior to anything ever offered in Victoria, and will be sold at the lowest remunerative prices.

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Dry Cordwood $5 per Cord.

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FORESTERS' BALL.

THE MEMBERS OF COURT VANCOUVER No. 5755 A. O. F. have decided on giving a

Grand BALL

—AT—

PHILHARMONIC HALL, FORT STREET,

On Monday Evening, Dec. the 20th.

TICKETS, admitting Gentleman and Ladies, including Supper, $3 50.

Dancing to commence at 9:30.

F. G. RICHARDS, Jr.,

no17 Secretary.

Department of Marine & Fisheries.

BRITISH COLUMBIA AGENCY.

TENDERS ARE INVITED ADDRESSED TO the undersigned and will be received at this office up to noon of the 28th inst. for the supply of Provisions, etc., to the Race Rocks Lighthouse and Fraser River Lightship.

A schedule of the articles to be supplied, and also a copy of the contract to be signed, can be seen by applying to the agent.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

JAMES COOPER, Agent.

Victoria, B.C., Dec. 4th, 1875. de5

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPTAIN MILLS, NOR THE undersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the Valparaiso.

de4 SPROAT & CO., Agents.

Barnard's Express.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT.

COMMENCING MONDAY, 6th INST., OUR Express will close at this office at 6 o'clock on Monday evenings in place of Thursdays, as heretofore. The Express from Cariboo will be due here on Saturdays, as during Summer season.

F. J. BARNARD & CO.

Office—Yates street. de4 1m

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Purchasers from the Upper Country are invited to give us a call.

Victoria, June 1, 1875. je1

NOTICE.

I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR ANY debts contracted by my wife, otherwise known as Mrs. Swigert, without my written order and consent.

W. TIPPINS.

Victoria B.C., Dec. 2, 1875. de5 1w*

LOVETT'S RAFFLE

Will Come Off on Christmas Eve.

TWO PRIZES—THE HIGHEST THROW has the choice of prize. The winner of each prize may have

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Dec. 9th, 1875. de10

VICTORIA GAS COMPANY.

Notice to Consumers.

In cold weather the Meter and Service Pipe should be protected by suitable covering from the action of the frost, and thus the inconvenience of the light going out from that cause will be prevented. The Inspector is instructed to substitute alcohol for water in the Meters, when furnished with the article by and at the expense of the consumer. The ordinary kind of whisky will answer the purpose.

Gas Consumers requiring Alcohol put into their Meters are requested to leave their names at the Gasfitters, Messrs. Wilson, Fort street, or Messrs. Stewart & Braden, Yates street, opposite Mr. Bowman's Livery Stable. no18 1m2p

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Dissolution of Copartnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between the undersigned, Wm. Dalby and Wm. Robertson, until lately carrying on business as Saddlers, Harness-makers, &c., in Victoria, has been dissolved by mutual consent.

All claims against them must be sent in, and all debts due the firm paid, before the 20th proximo to Mr. W. K. Bull, the collector appointed.

(Signed) WM. DALBY,
WM. ROBERTSON,

Witness—Thos. Ariss.

P. S.—Mr. Bull will attend to the above Business at J. C. Bales' office, Bastion st., from 10 to 12 daily.

Victoria, 20th November, 1875. de2 1m

Water. Water.

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J. S. DRUMMOND

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NOTICE.

District of British Columbia Pilotage Authority.

THE LICENSE OF THOMAS PAMPHLET AS a Pilot for British Columbia is hereby annulled, by order of the Pilotage Authority.

EDGAR CROW BAKER,
de3 Secretary.

Daily British Colonist

SATURDAY MORNING, DEC. 11TH, 1875.

THE BRITISH COLONIST

Is the only Paper Published at Victoria that receives Regular Telegraphic Dispatches.

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 8th inst., Joseph Blight, a native of Cornwall, England, aged 42 years.

The funeral will take place on SUNDAY at ¼ past 1 o'clock, from his late residence, Cook street, and ½ past 1 o'clock from the Reformed Episcopal Church. Friends are respectfully invited.

HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY.—The report of the Governor and Committee of the Hudson's Bay Company states that since June last, when the proprietors were informed that the Canadian Government intended to enter upon negotiations with the Company for the purchase of the bulk of their lands, the committee had had personal conferences and communications with the Prime Minister of Canada on this important subject, and they had hoped to have been able on this occasion to report the result of the negotiations. They were, however, still in such a position that a discussion of the matters involved would be inexpedient at the present moment. As regarded the trade of the Company, the bark Ocean Nymph had arrived from York Factory with the returns of the coast and neighboring posts, which compared favorably with those of last year. Several shipments of furs from the Northern Department had also arrived by steamers from Canada, by which route the remainder was being sent. The trade of the Western Department continued to show good results, notwithstanding the strong competition against which the officers of the company had to contend in that quarter. The furs from this department, and a portion of those from Canada, were sold, as usual, early in the autumn, when prices declined considerably from the high rates obtained at the corresponding sale in 1874. The steamer Northcote had been successful in reaching Edmonton from the mouth of the Saskatchewan, a distance of about 1 000 miles. She delivered a large cargo of goods at that station, and returned in safety with furs and robes to Grand Rapids, near Lake Winnipeg. Another steamer, named the Colville, had been plying between Grand Rapids and Red River, keeping up the communication with the Saskatchewan steamer, by means of which the officers now felt themselves in a position to conduct the transport service of that important section of the country in a more satisfactory manner at a moderate cost, and to introduce improvements in the communication with the more northerly districts. In consequence of the depressed state of business in Canada generally and in the United States the company had not made any sales of their lots at Fort Garry this season. The committee recommended an *interim* dividend of 8s. per share, to be paid on the 8th of January.

SALE OF WORK.—The amount paid in yesterday to the treasurer of the Diocesan Society, W. C. Ward, Esq., as the proceeds the sale of work on Tuesday last was $503 07. The ladies of the Bishop's Close working party are to be congratulated for their success in spite of the very inclement weather. The following ladies held tables on the occasion: Mrs. Jackson, Miss King, Miss S. Rhodes, Miss M. Charles, Mrs. Gribbell, Mrs. Walkem, Mrs. Gaudin, Mrs. Hills, Mrs. Phillips, Miss E. Woods, Miss K. Woods, Mrs. Richards, Mrs. Armstrong, Miss Heywood, Mrs. Blaiklock, Miss de Veulle, Miss Rhodes, Miss M. Gray.

SEVERE WEATHER.—The schooner Minnie left Fort Wrangel for Victoria on the 5th October with a cargo of yellow cedar for Capt. Moore's new steamboat. In Millbank Sound they had a gale of wind which blew them 100 miles off shore and lasted 9 days. The schooner finally sighted Cape Cook, on the outside of Vancouver Island, and worked round to Fort Rupert, where she now lies repairing damages, which are extensive.

NANAIMO.—The *Free Press* says: Messrs Jenner and Shaw rescued one of Mr. S. D. Levi's children from drowning in the harbor....The ship Revere, with 1200 tons of Wellington coal, and the bark Henry Buck, with 1000 tons of Douglas coal, have sailed. The Buck got aground on a sandbank, but was pulled off without injury by the tug Isabel.

FELL & Co. beg to call the attention of Families desiring pure and genuine Liquors for the Christmas Festivities to their stock of Irish, Scotch and Canadian Whiskeys; Old Jamaica Rum, Prime Old Brandy, Londen Gin, Fine Old Crusted and Fruity Port Wines, and some of the choicest SHERRY WINES ever imported into the Province.

Claret, Champagne, California Wines, Ales and Porters, &c. *

TREASURE SHIPPED. — The steamship Dakota took away the following amounts of treasure shipped by Wells, Fargo & Co: Bank British North America, $22,933; Bank British Columbia, $7 247; F. Garesche, $2,425. Total, $32 615.

CAUTION.—At the Police Court on Thursday a citizen was fined $5 and costs for having neglected to abate a nuisance, due notice of which had been served on him by the Police.

ONE OF THE DEAD.—Mr. Storey, undertaker, has prepared an elegant casket in which the mortal remains of the late F. J. Farrell, a victim of the Pacific disaster, will be placed and shipped to San Francisco for interment by his relatives.

FIRE ALARM.—A few sparks emitted from a chimney in the aristocratic vicinity of Johnson street caused the alarm of fire sounded at 6 o'clock last evening.

INSANE.—On the medical certificates of Drs. Matthews and Davie, an unfortunate man named E. M. Demeville was committed to the insane asylum.

THE wonderful automaton bird is singing at Chadwick's. *

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In consequence of removal to Government st.

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PLAYING FAST AND LOOSE.

Setting Mainland vs. Island.

Railway Repudiation.

The official despatches, upon the subject of the Canadian Pacific Railway, recently received from Ottawa, and published in our columns, set at rest all controversy as to the intentions of the Dominion Government with respect to that undertaking. *The text of these documents means in its fullest sense an entire repudiation by the Ottawa Cabinet of all its railway engagements with this Province.* We confess that we were not prepared for such a bare-faced exhibition of national dishonor, although during our late elections, there were some amongst us, who, with prophetic insight truly foretold what has come to pass, and solemnly warned the people to place no reliance upon pledges given to suit the hour—pledges made only to be broken. Such conclusions were justified on the ground that bad faith had been shown from the outset, and that Mr. Mackenzie from innate weakness, had been obliged to strengthen his Council Board by the presence of Mr. Blake, who dictated "his own terms" on entering the Cabinet and who was known to be bitterly opposed to any railway work being undertaken in this Province. —*Victoria Standard*, Local Government organ, Dec. 4, 1875.

The "New Terms." $750,000 for Compensation.

An Order in Council, passed by the Canadian Government on the 20th of September, but not forwarded until the 10th November, has reached the local Government, and is published for general information. The order is partly an endorsement and partly a repudiation of the Carnarvon settlement. The understanding that the line is to be commenced on the Mainland as soon as the surveys are completed, that $2,000,000 per annum is to be the minimum expenditure, and that the line is to be completed by 1890, is endorsed, subject to the condition that no increase of Canada's financial burdens be incurred. The agreement to build the Island line is repudiated, and the magnificent sum of $750,000 (it must be a mistake for $7 50) is offered in lieu thereof. —*Westminster Herald*, Local Government organ, Dec. 4, 1875.

B. C. Agricultural Society.

A meeting of members of this Society was held yesterday afternoon at the Council Chambers. The attendance was small and the majority of those present were from Victoria District.

Dr. Tolmie who was voted to the chair called on the secretary Mr. Thos. Russell to read the financial statement of the Society for the year. The statement read shows a balance from 1874 of $97 25, the amount of receipts for the year 1875, $969 75, and the amount of expenditure of the same period $1014 87, leaving a balance to the credit of the Society of $52 13; the sum of $614 50 paid for prizes; and $476 75 collected for subscriptions. On motion the report was adopted as read.

The meeting then proceeded to ballot for officers for the ensuing year. His Worship the Mayor and Mr. James Douglas, M.P.P., were proposed for President. The result of the ballot was declared in favor of Mr. Drummond by a vote of 9 to 4. Messrs. James Douglas, M. P. P., McIlmoyl and Shakespeare, were put in nomination for Vice Presidents—two required. On the votes being counted the result stood as follows:

McIlmoyl.....12
Shakespeare.....8
Douglas.....6

The chairman therefore declared Messrs. McIlmoyl and Shakespeare duly elected. Mr. J. H. Turner was unanimously re-elected Treasurer and Mr. Thos. Russell Secretary. The following gentlemen were elected a Board of Directors: Messrs. F. Saunders, Imrie, Clyde, J. D. Pemberton, Turgoose, Hunt, Ladner, Dalby and Stelly.

Mr. Dalby advocated the purchase or lease of a piece of land at Spring Ridge for the use of the Society.

Mr. Drummond suggested that the tract of land fenced in at Beacon Hill, formerly used by the cricket club, be utilized. There were some 5 or 6 acres which would suit admirably.

After discussion it was moved that a committee, consisting of the President, Secretary and Treasurer, be appointed to ascertain the most favorable terms on which a site for the purposes of the Society can be obtained and report on same at next meeting.

The meeting then adjourned.

SAILED.—The steamship Dakota will sail at 5 this morning from Esquimalt harbor for San Francisco. She has about 130 passengers, and 160 tons of freight and 200 tons of coal. Amongst the freight are oats, 2,965 sks; hops, 22 bales; hides, 234 pkgs; mdze, 19 pkgs. The following are the passengers from Puget Sound:—N. S. Wirt, J. W. Page, Mrs. J. C. Ellis and 3 childn., Col. J. Thomas and wife, Col. Wheat, wife and son, Mrs. H. L. Yesler, N. Digan, Mrs. N. Lotke, Miss Lebrash and father, Frank Rentel, E. P. Rowe, Ah Yung, F. Jones, L. Morse, I. A. Roe, E. A. Roe, R. C. Corbaley, Miss Imogene Holbrook, E. Lindsley, Wm. Tibbett, Mrs. S. Kenny, H. S. Spellam, T. Farley, J. K. Hill, J. H. Estby, B. F. Miller, B. W. Fine, J. M. Fine, S. Hillerms, J. Atkins, F. Lemont, J. Hill, F. Hughes, W. J. Bartlett, A. W. Gregg, C. Putnam.

AMERICAN FINANCES.—The Secretary of the Treasury has sent to Congress his book of estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1877, the following being the total recapitulation by departments of estimates for 1877: Congress, $6,958-475; executive proper, $708,400; Department of State, $1,601,095; Treasury Department, $171,193,267; War Department, $57,430,499; Navy Department, $22,792,-420; Interior Department, $40,594,125; Postoffice Department, $9,862,714; Department of Justice, $3,850 040; Department of Agriculture, $251,565. Grand total, $314,612,606. The appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1876, were $16,864,592 less than the estimates and the estimates for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1877, are $4,612,608 larger than estimates for the previous year.

AFLOAT AND ASHORE. — The steamer Grappler took the Dakota passengers round to Esquimalt yesterday, and with them a number of their friends anxious to say "good bye." The latter naturally supposed that they would enjoy the little trip from this port to Esquimalt *and back*, but failed to see the joke when on arrival at the steamer Dakota they were informed the Grappler would proceed forthwith to Burrard Inlet. Luckily there is a good road from here to Esquimalt, at least so many of those say who had to foot it home.

Fine old Java Coffee at Fell & Co.'s.
Prime Canada Cheese at Fell & Co.'s.
Oregon and California Cheese at Fell & Co.'s.
Dried Fish in great quantities at Fell & Co.'s.
Fresh Island Butter at Fell & Co.'s.
Canadian do. Salt at Fell & Co.'s.
TEA—Congou, Orange, Pekoe, Young Hyson.
Japan in great variety, &c., &c., at FELL & CO.'S. *

THE fractured rock-shaft of the Los Angeles has been replaced with a new one cast at Albion Foundry, and she will probably sail for Puget Sound to-day.

Return of the Survey Parties.

The steamer Douglas, from the East Coast, arrived in port yesterday, having on board parties T. and Y. of the C.P.R. S., who have been engaged during the past season in locating the line of railway between Esquimalt and Nanaimo. The Y. party, with Mr. Hunter at its head, has been working from Nanaimo; the T. party, with Mr. Harris in command, has been locating from Esquimalt. Both parties have made rapid progress, the Y party having completed 40 miles and the T party upwards of 30 miles, reaching the Kokesaila bridge, thus leaving the short distance of 9 miles between the last stakes of the two parties yet to be located. The weather of late has been stormy and wet; snow has fallen heavily and now lies from two to three feet deep in the woods, putting a stop to work. The health of the two parties has been good, and the men return in fine spirits prepared to enjoy the holidays.

U. S. NAVY.—Secretary Robeson's report of the naval service for the year shows that the number of vessels of every class and description now borne in the navy registrar is 147, carrying 1,195 guns and 152,492 tons measurement. Many of these are sailing vessels of little or no value as part of the efficient force for river cruising or fighting purposes. At present steam vessels are distinguished from ironclads and torpedoes. The ships number 52 of which 25 are tugs, of the remainder 38 are ready for use when required. The ironclad fleet consists of 26 vessels, 21 monitors, 2 torpedo ships and 3 never launched. Of all vessels 80 are available, including 16 iron clads and 2 torpedo boats. Details are given of the operations of the fleet in each of the six stations.

SOMETHING ENTIRELY NEW.—In all our newspaper experience we do not remember to have seen so unique and attractive a programme for an evening's enjoyment, as is presented in Mr. Fergusson's advertisement for next Tuesday night. No doubt the literary part of the entertainment will be excellent; but the humorous anecdotes, the performance on the Bagpipes and, above all, the dear old Scottish Songs will afford a treat which will be as rich as it is rare.

THE steamer Maude arrived from Comox and way ports at 5:45 p. m. yesterday, with the following passengers: Judge Gray and son, Registrar Pooley, A. F. D. McElman, Esq., J. Engelhardt. Esq, Father Rondeau, Rev. Mr. Mason, Rev. Mr. Newton, and Messrs. Allen, G. Stewart, Grieive, Riche, Drummond, Bittancourt, R. White, Mr. and Mrs. Grieve, Miss LeClair, Bruno, J. Fisher, J. Eade, Bell, Dodd, Chisholm, Harmond, G. Brown, G. Webb, Hussey, Hamilton, 16 Indians, 5 Chinamen.

TO FAMILIES.—Fell & Co. have received a consignment of choicest Sherry Wines from the celebrated wine growers Courtney & Co., Spain, which they are now offering for sale per Bottle or Gallon at prices to suit the times, consisting of:

Amontillado,
Amorosa,
Olorosa,
Vino de Pasto } Pale or full Pale, Pale or Gold.

Connoisseurs will oblige by giving us a call and sampling. *

THE Pacific Mail Steamship Co. have ordered that their steamships shall leave Victoria at an hour in the day that will anable them to get clear of the Straits before nightfall. In future, when a steamship is advertised to sail for San Francisco at a certain time, she will leave at that time punctually.

THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.—The annual message of President Grant to Congress contains no feature of interest to our readers. Considerable space is devoted to the consideration of Spanish affairs, but we observe nothing in the document of a warlike or threatening nature.

"THE APPEAL" is the title of a new monthly publication in the interest of the Reformed Episcopal Church. It is edited by Bishops Cummins and Cheney, and others, and includes amongst its contributors able writers from the ranks of the Free Church of England. The subscription rate is 25 cents for three months.

THE steamer Enterprise left at 7 a. m. yesterday for New Westminster with a few passengers and a fair freight.

THE steamship Idaho will take the place of the Los Angeles on the G. N. & P. line.

THE *Standard* says it has discovered a "Judas in our midst." Nothing new. The People have discovered four of them.

INSURANCE AGAINST ACCIDENTS.—We are surprised that anyone should neglect to insure before undertaking a voyage. A policy of $1000 for one month and covering the trip to San Francisco and back, can be obtained at The Accident Insurance of Canada for $1 90. T. Allsop & Co., Government street, are agents for this company. * *

"There Shall be Wars and Rumors of Wars."

MAPLE BAY, B. C., Dec. 9, 1875.

EDITOR COLONIST:—A few evenings ago while sitting around the table my wife saw a large flag or banner, which she described as glittering and of the color of silver, on which was inscribed, in large golden letters, the word "WAR!" I asked when it would take place, when the figures "1866" came out under the word "war," and then the whole scene vanished, and a well-known voice (that of the late Rev. Mr. W—e) exclaimed, "Down with the enemy!" I believe, myself, sir, that we are on the eve of a terrible war, both religious and political. Watch therefore and pray. WM. BEAUMONT.

The Maid and Her Bark Canoe.

EDITOR COLONIST:—While in Cassiar last year, I came across a Chief of the Tackou country, which is about 110 miles from the gold diggings. He told me a great deal about his country, as also the following tale, viz:—Many years ago our great chief had a beautiful daughter, the only child of his race, named Stella, or Morning Light; every one loved one. She seemed always happy and tried to make others so. The tribes would listen for hours while she sang to them. Two braves especially, had fallen in love with her, and each wished she might be his wife. She in return was at a loss to know which she loved best. She acquainted her father the Chief and it was decided that there should be a race down the Tackou river, and the one overtaking her should claim her for his wigwam. The Chief was pleased and ordered a feast to be prepared, for as soon as the race was ended she was to be given in marriage to the lucky one. Just below the camp was a large waterfall, and it would be death to go over that; so they went up the river to start. The maid had about 30 yards of a start. The Chief gave the signal and off they went. They closed up with her just opposite the camp, each one claiming the prize. They forgot that they were now within the influence of the rapids. Too late now for assistance. The boats begin to tremble now tossed, now whirled suddenly around, plunged in the yawning abyss and dashed to pieces in the vortex of the whirlpool. The waves rolled over them; they were hid from view. They were drowned. The marriage feast was the feast of death. If you should go there at the midnight hour, you will see the spirits of the braves and the beautiful maid, like a fairy singing in her canoe bedecked in ever-blossoming flowers. S. R., CASSIAR.

The Maid and Her Bark Canoe.

By fierce Tackou's stream, for many a day,
I've hunted and passed the time away,
With forest maid and brawny brave—
In our own canoe o'er rushing wave—
I have made my home while they proved true,
And told them of lands they never knew;
In the midnight camp—
By fire-lit lamp—
They told of the maid and her bark canoe.

A great many moons have passed and gone,
Since when amongst them was a maid of song,
She would sing of love—and stars above—
Then fierce would be—then still as a dove.
One night she was singing as maidens do,
Two braves, they listened and then they knew
In the midnight camp—
By the fire-lit lamp—
They loved the maid with her bark canoe.

Next morn two braves came forth to meet,
And flowers lay at the maiden's feet:
To confess their love they both had come,
To ask a wife for their wigwam home,
In return she said, "if lovers true,
I will set a task, you will try to do,"
By midnight camp—
And fire-lit lamp—
To catch the maid in her bark canoe.

The braves next morn had waited for hours,
When forth came the maid bedecked with flowers:
Gave them her greeting and then adieu,
Then into her boat, with paddles flew,
And taunting she said, now come, ye two,
And win a wife who will prove true,
In the midnight camp—
By fire-lit lamp—
To one catching the maid in her bark canoe.

"Away," the chief said, "give them a hard chase,
My child of the forest, the last of your race."
The signal is given and now with drawn breath
They dashed down the river, that river of death,
They pass the goal, they are hid from view,
The boats of the braves are dashed in two,
By the midnight camp—
And fire-lit lamp—
And also the maid's frail bark canoe.

Where now are the braves? where is the maid?
Out of mad waters they are found, and laid
In mother earth. See! an old man weeps
By a new mound, where his child now sleeps.
If you speak to him he will tell to you
A tale of those braves you never knew,
By the midnight camp—
And fire-lit lamp—
Who were drowned with the maid in her bark canoe.

Long years have passed, and days that are long,
Still finds the chief, who sings his child's song,
And wanders back and forth to the place
Where his dear child sleeps the last of his race,
If you camp there at night he will speak to you,
And talk of the braves you never knew,
By midnight camp—
And fire-lit lamp—
And the maid decked with flowers in her bark canoe.

S. R.

TO THE ECONOMIST IN FAMILY MATTERS: If you have any doubts as regards where to look for supplies for your Christmas festivities just call in and see the varied stock of Fell & Co., Fort street, consisting of choicest dried and crystalized Fruits, New Nuts, Pure Sweets for children, Bon-Bons in great variety, Jams, Jellies, canned Peaches, Pineapples, Grapes, Blackberries, &c. Honey, in the comb and strained, Preserved Ginger and Chinese mixed fruits. Fancy Biscuits, fancy Chocolates, Spices, ground and prepared by ourselves and warranted pure, Fruit Essence in great variety. In fact, almost everything you require in the culinary department. We do not profess to sell cheaper than other firms, but *as cheap*, and guarantee every article to be as represented, and full weight as charged. The Imperial gallon for all liquors.—Fort Street, Dec. 4th, 1875. * *

NOTICE.—In consequence of Mr. J. L. Jungerman's advertisement that he is about to close out his business shortly, I would herewith respectfully solicit the patronage of his former customers, here as well as up-country. Should they choose to patronize me with their work, I will promise them the strictest attention, combined with the most reasonable prices for firstclass work; and, as I am not leaving the business nor the country, they will have the full benefit of my guarantee for work done or goods sold. A very elegant assortment of watches and jewelry always on hand. See my general advertisement. G. W. A. LANGE, Watchmaker, Victoria, B. C. * *

NOTICE. — In regard to Mr. G. W. A. Lange's advertisement I wish my customers to understand that I did not authorize him to use my name, and if any transfer their custom to him it will be at their own risk.—J. L. JUNGERMANN. * *

A Washington Character.

A Washington correspondent of the Cincinnati 'Gazette' writes: A few days ago there stepped briskly into the library of one of the Government buildings a hardfeatured woman, whose age might range anywhere between sixty and seventy. Her face looked like a pine knot, so weather-beaten and tough and bronzed was it, but it wore such an appearance of frank, hearty good humor, lighted by shrewd intelligence, that I could not fail to observe and be interested in her. Her black dress was short and old-fashioned in its cut, its only trimming being a feeble attempt at a narrow, scant ruffle round the bottom. Over this was a white muslin overdress, spotlessly white, but very full and totally unlooped. Evidently the hard-looking-face had no sympathy with the 'pull backs' of the period. On her head was a queer bonnet, whose shape and trimmings no sacreligious hand had touched, "upon altering thoughts intent," for many years. The little woman, standing erectly up, asked in a brisk tone for Hugh Miller! I gazed at her in perplexed surprise. Was she asking for herself or was she sent by some one for the book mentioned? After she made her exit I turned to the librarian and remarked that the woman was something of a character. "Indeed she is," was the reply, "a remarkable character with a very romantic history." Anything tinged with romance always held my interest enchanted, so I prepared myself for a treat while listening to the recital of this woman's life and career. She was a Scotch woman by birth, and while a bonnie Highland lassie married a brave and intelligent young soldier in the English army. His fate she has followed for nearly half a century, going to Egypt, Constantinople, France, Africa, and finally America, where her husband obtaining an honorable discharge from the English Army, enlisted under Gen. Scott, and helped to fight our Mexican battles. During this campaign she was almost the only woman in the army, saving Mrs. Gen. Hunter, then the wife of a subordinate officer. In our civil war her husband lost his eyesight through the effect of some concussion, and his devoted companion spent all of her leisure time and spare money in purchasing books to read to her afflicted husband She was company laundress, and with the means thus obtained, coupled with her husband's pension and demonstrating the extent of Scotch thriftiness, she provided for her husband's mental and physical wants with unflagging zeal and devotion. After a while some celebrated occulist party restored the soldier's eyesight. The Government gave the woman a menial position and the man something to do as messenger, and they still continue to devour the best books in the library, always asking for standard philosophical works, and in their neat and humble home they together read and discuss the thoughts of the great writers.

DEATH OF A PIONEER PRIEST.—The following notice of the death of Father Gonzales is translated from the Los Angeles "Cronica" of the 17th of Nov. "The Rev. Fray Jose Marie de Jesus Gonzales died at Santa Barbara, Nov. 3, 1875. He was born at Gaudalajara. Mexico, on the 21st of August, 1802. In 1820 he completed his philosophical studies in his native city. After rapid promotions in the ecclesiastical world, he was called as a missionary to the Californias in 1832, and was that year assigned to the Mission San Jose. In 1837 he was created Vice Commissioner and President of Upper California. In 1846 he was named Vicario Capitular of the diocese of the two Californias and Oregon, and in 1847 had the additional honor of being appointed to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Bishop Garcia Diego. In 1852 he was newly confirmed as Vicar General of California, which office he held until 1858. In 1855 he was named the Guardian of the Apostolical College of Our Lady of Guadalaupe of Zacetecas, Mexico. In 1858 he was made President of the Apostolical College of Santa Barbara, which position he held until 1872, when he asked to be relieved on the most arduous duties. Five months after resigning the presidency "de facto," he had his first attack of paralysis, from which he died."

A sprightly gentleman (!) recently made his appearance in Boise valley, giving out that he was the son of an English lord and that he would receive "bushels of money" from England as soon as he was settled in business. He bought up most of the wheat, cordwood, or anything that was for sale, but never paid anything down or had the goods delivered, but borrowed profusely from those he could dupe and then suddenly disappeared. He is pronounced a grand bilk by the press, and cursed by a good many people who are short in cash on his account.

NOTICE.—I have this day sold my business in Victoria to Mr. C. E. Redfern, whom I recommend to the favorable consideration of my customers, and I hope they will extend to him the same patronage that they have hitherto so liberally bestowed upon me. I shall remain with Mr. Redfern till after the new year.
J. L. JUNGERMANN, Dec. 1st, 1875. *

NOTICE.—Having purchased the business of Mr. J. L. Jungerman, I beg to assure his customers here and up country that I shall use every effort to give satisfaction in every branch of the business, and most respectfully solicit for myself a continuance of the patronage enjoyed by my predecessor.—CHAS. E. REDFERE, Dec. 1st, 1875. *

THOS. WILSON & Co., dry goods merchants, respectfully request that all accounts due to the Firm may be settled during the present month, owing to a change, now pending, in the proprietorship of the business. * *

WINTER FASHIONS. — Just received by BROWN & WHITE, ex Salvador, Ladies' Costumes in the newest styles and materials, new Dress Goods, Skirts, Shawls, Waterproof Cloaks, Furs, Waterproof Tweeds, Polonaises, Hosiery, Gloves, Ribbons, Laces, Flowers, Feathers, Frillings, Ties, Handkerchiefs, Linen Sets, Belts, Knitted Wool Goods in great variety, Flannels, Long Cloths, Sheetings, Table Linens, Knitting Yarn in all colors, and a general assortment of Stapl-Goods, Haberdashery, &c., &c.—BROWN & WHITE, Government street, opposite Bastion. * *

DRY GOODS FOR WINTER TRADE.—Just received at Albion House, Winceys, Fch. Merinos, Fcy Dress Goods, New Shawls, Furs in Choice Variety, Straw and Felt Hats, Blankets, Sheetings, Silk Mantle Velvets, Skirts, Umbrellas, Hosiery, Gentlemen's Underclothing in complete assortment; Waterproof Tweeds, Boys' Suits, Flannels, &c., &c. Also, a fresh supply of the "Raymond" Sewing Machine, and a few choice "Pianofortes" now landing ex Prince Rupert.—A. B. GRAY & Co., Government street, Victoria, 20th Nov., 1875. * *

A. BUNSTER, M. P., will be glad to meet his constituents in Vancouver District at the following named places.—At Wain's Hotel, N. Saanich; at Simpson's Hotel, S. Saanich; at Beaumont's, Maple Bay; at Harris,' S. Saanich; at the Institute, Nanaimo; at the Landing, Comox; at Muir's mill, Sooke; to discuss the important political issue of the non-fulfilment of the Union Terms. Dates will be given in the next weekly issue of THE COLONIST.—Nanaimo *Free Press* please copy. dw

OLD CHICORY is almost a thing of the past. Finlayson's Coffee presides over the present. It has now superseded what used to be claimed as "superior to any other manufactured on this coast," and will soon be found on every well-furnished table in the Province. Prepared at his premises on Fort street, and sold by all the principal dealers.

New Advertisements.

TEA MEETING.

A LARGE AND INTERESTING TEA-meeting is being arranged for, to be held on

Wednesday Even'g, 15th inst.,

In Philharmonic Hall, Fort St, Victoria.

An Excellent Programme of MUSIC (Vocal and Instrumental), comprising Ladies and Gentlemen of noted talent, has been secured.

THE MECHANICS' INSTITUTE ORCHESTRA, under the leadership of Professor Schaffer, will play select pieces during the evening.

Several short Addresses are expected from Reverend Gentlemen.

Tea will be served at 7 p.m.

Tickets $1 50.

The Proceeds to aid the Trustee Building Fund of the Methodist Church, which was enlarged some three years ago at a cost of $6000.

The citizens of Victoria and public generally are cordially invited. de9

Missionary Services.

THE ANNUAL MISSIONARY SERVICES of the Methodist Church, Victoria, will (D.V.) be held on the 12th and 16th.

Sermons on the 12th, at the hours of 11 a. m. and 7 p. m., by the Rev. A. Atwood, of Seattle.

The Annual Meeting of the 16th, to begin at 7½ p. m. will be address d by the deputation, the Revs. William Pollard and A. Atwood. Resident ministers have been invited.

Collections will be taken for Missions in British Columbia. de9

A. O. F.

MEMBERS OF COURT VANCOUVER, No. 5°55, are requested to meet at their Court-room on SUNDAY, 12th inst., at 12:30 p. m. sharp, to attend the funeral of our late brother G. Blight.

Members of Sister Courts are cordially invited to attend. By order of the C. R.
de9 F. G. RICHARDS, Jr., Secty.

THE PACIFIC MAIL STEAMSHIP COMPANY'S

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WILL SAIL FROM VICTORIA FOR

San Francisco Direct

ON THE

10th & 18th December, and on the 3rd & 18th January,

At 12 o'clock, Noon.!

When the sailing day falls on **Sunday** the Steamers will sail the **day after**, so as to connect with the steamers from Puget Sound.
oc17 HENRY RHODES & CO., Agents.

Mr. CHAS. PARDOE

HAVING TAKEN THE PREMISES LATELY occupied by Mrs. Huston, begs to inform the public that he intends to carry on there the old established business of

Gunmaking.

Having had considerable experience with Mr. Short he is confident that he can give satisfaction to any sportsmen who may give him a call, and hopes that his old acquaintances will visit him. oc29

EX PRINCE RUPERT.

PIANOFORTES—Cottage.

MANUFACTURED BY KIRKMAN & SONS, Soho Square, London.
For sale by
STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,
no21 Agents for British Columbia.

NOTICE.

WHEREAS I HAVE HEARD THAT CERtain enemies of mine have circulated a report in Victoria that I attempted to set fire to my store at Granville, Burrard Inlet, in April last, for the purpose of getting the insurance. Now be it known to all men that I deny the truth of such report and furthermore I state that since the Nineteenth day of February last there has been no insurance on my house or stock.
de9 3tdw G. FERNANDEZ.

Night School.

A NIGHT SCHOOL WILL BE OPENED next Monday evening (Nov. 15th, in the **Grammar School Building on View street.** Classes will then be formed in Arithmetic, Book-keeping, &c Three lessons a week. Terms $2 50 per month. Those intending to join are requested to communicate either in person between the hours of three and half-past at the Grammar School, or through the Postoffice with WALTER F. JONES, M. A.
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NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Mrs. Maynard's

NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY

CORNER OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STREETS

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IS NOW PREPARED TO TAKE ALL KINDS of Photographs in all the latest improvements.

On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage. oc32

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California HOTEL,

Brick Building, Wharf Street,

Nearest the Steamboat Landing, between Yates and Johnson street.

THIS HOTEL HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY RE-fitted and furnished throughout. Spring and Hair Mattresses.

Superior Accommodation for Families.

BOARD & LODGING PER WEEK $6.

de3 P. MURPHY, Proprietor.

GLOBE HOTEL,

FORT STREET, Near Government.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING OPENED this establishment is prepared to receive and accommodate the traveling public with

GOOD BEDS.

Board $5 per week. Best of Wines, Liquors, etc., dispensed at the bar.

CHARLES MARTIN.

Victoria, B.C., Sept. 9, 1875. se10

Colonial Hotel and Driard House.

GOVERNMENT AND VIEW STREETS, VICTORIA B.C.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING PURCHASED the Colonial Hotel and Driard House, will spare no effort to keep the establishments in first class style and render guests as comfortable as in any house on the Coast.

None but the Best Wines, Liquors and Cigars will be dispensed.

mh7 L. S. LUGAS, Proprietor.

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BETWEEN YATES AND JOHNSON, VICTORIA, B. C.

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AT LOWEST RATES.

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LANGLEY STREET,

LATE BAILEY'S LATE EBERHARD'T'

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The Scale of Charges:

Board and Lodging per Week	$ 6 00
do do per Day	1 00
Board per Week	5 00
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

The Bar is well supplied with the best Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

A Fireproof Safe in the House. oc 28 dwtf

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Billiard players should give them a trial. The Fastest Tables in the City.

The Best of WINES, LIQUORS and CIGARS at the Bar. se17

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MRS. BILLINGS & CO.

HAVING LEASED THE FIREPROOF building, corner of Fort and Douglas str have refurnished the same and will open it on

Monday, March 8th,

As a First-class Boarding House, and by strict attention to business hope to receive a share of public patronage. No pains will be spared in securing the comfort and accommodation of guests.

Single Meals	37½cts
Beds, (per night)	50cts.

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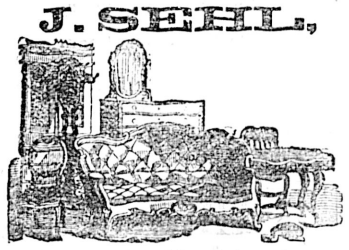
J. SEHL,



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OF all the medicines offered to the public for many years past, none have met with such favorable reception, or been so generally approved by the Medical Profession, as those prepared by Grimault and Co.

The model laboratories of this firm, situated at Neuilly-sur Seine, and managed by Dr. Leconte, Professor in the Faculty of Medicine, ex-Pharmacist of the Hospitals of Paris, and formerly Assistant of Dr. Claude Bernard, Professor of Physiology at the College of France, offer guarantees to be found in no other establishment.

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Busart's Lactophosphate of Lime Preparations.

The preparations having Lactophosphate of Lime at their base, known as Dusart's Wine and Syrup are the most valuable tonic restoratives known. They promote the formation and the nutrition of tissues, render nurses' milk more rich and plentiful, and aid the formation of the infant during pregnancy. They stimulate the appetite, agree with feeble persons, convalescents, old people, and especially with children to counteract the tendency to rickets.

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An excellent remedy for all affections of the chest; it relieves coughs, effectually prevents nocturnal perspiration, and restores the patient's strength. This syrup is the only one which, ever since 1857, has invariably been attended with satisfactory results—a fact due to the purity of the hypophosphite employed. Be sure to observe that it bears the signature of Grimault and Co., on bottles of an oval shape, the syrup being always of a rose colour.

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Composed of the essence extracted from the plant so called, they have been constantly employed with the most brilliant success in a certain class of contagious disease.

They combine extraordinary efficacy with the advantage of never causing nausea, eructations, or pains in the stomach, as do the gelatinous capsules which contain Balsam of Copahu in a liquid state; or the strictures which result from the use of injections having a metalic basis.

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HALL'S VEGETABLE SICILIAN **HAIR RENEWER.**

This standard article is compounded with the greatest care.

Its effects are as wonderful and satisfactory as ever

It restores gray or faded hair to its youthful color.

It removes all eruptions, itching, and dandruff, and the scalp by its use becomes white and clean.

By its tonic properties it restores the capillary glands to their normal vigor, preventing baldness and making the Hair grow thick and strong.

As a dressing nothing has been found so effectual, or desirable.

Dr. A. A. Hayes, State Assayer of Massachusetts, says of it: "I consider it the best preparation for its intended purposes."

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FOR THE WHISKERS.

This elegant preparation may be relied on to change the color of the beard from gray or any other undesirable shade, to brown, or black, at discretion. It is easily applied, being in one preparation, and quickly and effectually produces a permanent color which will neither rub nor wash off

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SOLD BY ALL DRUGGISTS AND DEALERS IN MEDICINE.

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From London.

THE HUDSON'S BAY COMPANY

HAVE RECEIVED BY THIS SHIP,

Large Additions to their Stock of

ALE, PORTER,

BRANDY, RUM,

GROCERIES, SOAP, ETC.

Which they offer for sale at Wholesale Prices.

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Ships and Steamers.

NOTICE.

NEITHER THE MASTER NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the ship Dovenby.

SPROAT & CO.,
Consignees.

Victoria 19th Nov., 1875. no20

NOTICE.

NEITHER CAPT. SCARBOROUGH NOR the undersigned agents for the Bark Longfellow from Liverpool, will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the said vessel.

SPROAT & CO.

Victoria, Nov. 23d, 1875. no24

Bark Prince Rupert.

NEITHER CAPTAIN MAIN NOR THE Hudson Bay Company will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the above vessel.

For the Hudson Bay Co.,

no19 WILLIAM CHARLES.

NOTICE.

NEITHER THE MASTER NOR THE UNdersigned will be responsible for any debts contracted by the crew of the "Urpanima."

SPROAT & CO., Consignees.

12th November, 1875. no13

Copartnership Notice.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE THIS DAY ENtered into copartnership and will carry on the business of Plumbing, Gas Fitting, Bell Hanging, &c

JOHN STEWART,
JOHN BRADEN.

Yates street, Aug. 31, 1875.

STEWART & BRADEN,

GASFITTERS,

PLUMBERS AND BELLHANGERS,

Yates Street, above Government.

Ship and House Plumbing in all its Branches.

The abovenamed having received a splendid assortment of

ENGLISH AND AMERICAN

GAS AND WATER FIXTURES,

Are prepared to execute all orders satisfactorily.

J. STEWART, in returning thanks for the patronage extended to him during the past **thirteen years**, begs to assure his patrons that by associating himself with Mr. Braden he has greatly increased his facilities for executing work. se1

JOHN WEILER,

Cor. Fort and Broad Streets,

RECEIVED EX "BLANCHE" AND OTHER ARrivals from San Francisco,

Dinner, Breakfast and Tea Sets,

And a General Assortment of CROCKERY,

OILCLOTH from ½ to 6 yards wide,

CARPETS, COCOA MATTING,

And the celebrated **Hartshorn Spring Blinds,**

WALLPAPER,

From 12½ cents to $2 50 a Roll, English Length.

Also on hand and made to order by competent persons,

SPRING MATTRESSES,

LOUNGES, PARLOR SETS,

Carpets Sewed and Laid

Cornices, Blinds, Draperies and Curtains made and put up. Wallpaper hung at reasonable rates and at short notice.

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HAVANA CIGARS.

50,000 CHOICE CIGARS, VARIous Brands, direct from Havana. For sale in lots to suit by

STAHLSCHMIDT & CO.,
Wharf Street.

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J. W. WILLIAMS,

CONTRACTOR AND BUILDER,

RESIDENCE:

Fisgard St., adjoining J. P. Davies.

HEREBY GIVES NOTICE THAT HE will not be responsible for any debts contracted unless on his written order. no30

$500 REWARD

ADDITIONAL TO THE PRESENT REward of $250, for the recovery and delivery of the body of MRS. SAMUEL MOOTE before the departure of the next G.N.P.S.S Co's steamer for San Francisco, about the 3d of December.

SAMUEL MOOTE.

COLONIST OFFICE, Nov. 25, 1875. no26

$250 REWARD

FOR THE RECOVERY AND DELIVERY in Victoria, to the undersigned, of the body of MRS. SAMUEL MOOTE, who was lost on the steamer Pacific. She was of medium height, light brown hair; supposed to have on a drab colored dress, heavy dark cloak and waterproof; one pair of drop ear rings of five turquoise and four jet diamonds; one plain gold ring, one solitaire, and gold chain around neck.

SAMUEL MOOTE.

COLONIST OFFICE, Nov. 22, 1875. dwtf.

NOTICE.

MR. A. CLYDE & T. MATTHEWS

Having bought G. C. Gerow's

BLACKSMITH & WHEELWRIGHT SHOP,

ARE PREPARED TO RECEIVE ALL ORDERS

IN THAT LINE OF BUSINESS.

Jobbing promptly Attended to.

no28 1m

Mr. J. D. LEY

HAS OPENED A FIRST CLASS

BARBER SHOP

On GOVERNMENT St., three doors south of the Theatre.

no4 1m

REMOVAL!

F. NEUFELDER & CO.

Have removed to the Store

Corner of Yates and Wharf streets,

(Lately occupied by Messrs. Sutro & Co.)

And will continue to import Choice Brands of

Havana Cigars, Tobacco,

GROCERIES, CLOTHING, &c.

AGENTS FOR

Levi Strauss & Co's Patent Clothing.
Pacific Glove Factory. no21 1m

HENRY RHODES & CO.,

[Successors to JANION RHODES & CO.]

COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

STORE STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

AGENTS—Northern Insurance Co.

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New Advertisements.

A. GILMORE,

MERCHANT TAILOR,

Has now removed to his new Store on Government Street, opposite the Bank of British Columbia, where he has on hand a Large and well-selected Stock, comprising Custom Made Clothing of the best quality in Victoria; also, Gents' Furnishing Goods, together with a well-selected Stock of Youth's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, comprising Cloaks, Overcoats, Hats, Caps, &c., which will be sold at a Small Advance on Cost.

I would call particular attention to my New and Superior Stock of Fine English and French Cloths of the Best Quality, and consisting of Pilot, Witney, Melton and Buffalo Beaver, together with a Splendid Assortment of Tweeds, Flannels, etc., of all colors, which I am prepared to Make to Order in the most approved styles.

N. B.—$50 Reward to any Merchant in Victoria who will sell the same quality of goods for less profit than

de5 A. GILMORE.

NEW GOODS

HENRY SHORT,

Gun & Rifle Maker,

FORT ST., opp. Scotch House,

Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

DOUBLE AND SINGLE BARRELLED GUNS,

Central Fire Breech-Loaders,

FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED.

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NOTICE--REMOVAL

H. MANSELL

Has Removed his Business to his new brick store on GOVERNMENT St., opposite the COLONIST Office, where can be found one of the Largest and most varied

STOCK OF BOOTS & SHOES

In British Columbia, which will be SOLD CHEAP FOR CASH!

GENTS' BOOTS Made to Order in the most approved style.

REPAIRING Neatly and Quickly Done. jy10

FOR SALE,

EX RECENT ARRIVALS

High Test American COAL OIL,

" Canadian do

SUGARS, S. I., No. 1 and 2,

" Circle A Crushed,

SYRUP, in 5 Gallon Kegs,

BUTTER, California and Eastern,

CHEESE, " "

BACON, HAMS, LARD,

TEAS,

Black & Green in chests and 5lb & 10lb Caddies.

RAISINS, CURRANTS, PRUNES.

MATCHES, California and Wax,

SALAD OIL, qts., pts. and 1-2 pts.

CLAY PIPES, SALT—Liverpool, Coarse & Fine.

—ALSO—

Flour & Feed of all kinds.

GOODS DELIVERED FREE OF CHARGE.

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WHOLESALE - RETAIL GROCERS

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A CHOICE ASSORTMENT OF

Dutch Bulbs,

COMPRISING,

Hyacinths, Tulips, Crocus, Snowdrops, Narcissus, &c.,

Always on hand a Fine Assortment of

Nursery Stock of all descriptions, Greenhouse Plants, Farm & Garden Seeds,

And every requisite pertaining to the Seed and Nursery business.

For further particulars see Printed Catalogues, which will be forwarded post free on application.

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(Late Plummer & Pagden.)

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APPRAISERS, ACCOUNTANTS & COMMISSION AGENTS,

Wharf Street, Victoria

BEG TO ANNOUNCE THAT THEY HAVE taken the large building on Wharf Street, opposite the foot of Yates Street. From their lengthened experience in the above branches of business, and by promptness and attention they hope to secure share of the public support.

Stocks, Stock in Trade or Furniture purchased for cash.

Liberal advances made on Consignments

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C. F. Barnard, M. D.,

DENTIST,

OFFICE AND RESIDENCE:

DOUGLAS STREET

Between Dr. Powell's premises and Willson's Tea Store.

VICTORIA, May 11th, 1875.

R. B. THOMPSON,

DENTIST,

Office, - - - Occidental Building,

(Up Stairs,)

Cor. GOVERNMENT & FORT Sts.,

VICTORIA, B. C.

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Ayer's Cathartic Pills,

FOR ALL THE PURPOSES OF A FAMILY PHYSIC.

CURING

Costiveness, Jaundice, Dyspepsia, Indigestion, Dysentry, Foul Stomach & Breath, Erysipelas, Headache, Piles Rheumatism, Eruptions and Skin Diseases, Biliousness, Liver Complaint, Dropsy, Tetter, Tumors and Salt Rheum, Worms, Gout, Neuralgia, as a Dinner Pill, and Purifying the Blood,

Are the most congenial purgative yet effected. Their effects abundantly show how much they excel all other Pills. They are safe and pleasant to take, but powerful to cure. They purge out the foul humors of the blood; they stimulate the sluggish or disordered organ into action; and they impart health and tone to the whole being. They cure not only the every day complaints of everybody, but formidable and dangerous diseases. Most skilful physicians, most eminent clergymen, and our best citizens send certificates of cures performed and of great benefits they have derived from these Pills. They are the best physic for children, because mild and effectual Being sugar-coated, they are easy to take; and being purely vegetable, they are entirely harmless.

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—AND—

Island & Oregon Produce

WHARF Street, foot of Yates,

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Cash Paid for Produce of all kinds. Goods delivered Free of Charge to any part of the city. no5

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Good Cigars,

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He is now making the

Best Havana Cigars and Good Common Cigars.

The Trade Supplied. jy11 6m

Insurance.

NORTHERN INSURANCE COMPANY,

—OF—

LONDON AND ABERDEEN.

FINANCIAL POSITION (1875.)

Subscribed Capital	£3,000,000
Accumulated Funds	1,778,000
Annual Revenue from Fire Premiums	313,000
Annual Revenue from Life Premiums	133,000
Annual Revenue from Interest upon Invested Funds	78,000

The undersigned have to announce that they are DULY APPOINTED AGENTS FOR THIS COMPANY in the Island of Vancouver, with authority to grant Insurance against Fire upon Buildings, Merchandise, etc. at Current Rates of Premium.

Forms, Copies of the Company's Annual Report, and full particulars may be obtained upon application.

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Victoria.

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NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY,

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CAPITAL, $2,000,000 STERLING,

Accumulated Funds - - £3,286,126.

LOSSES SETTLED WITH PROMPTITUDE AND LIBERALITY.

T. ALLSOP & CO., Agents,
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MANAGER & ACTUARY—Wm. Thos. Thompson, F.R.S.

COLONIAL & FOREIGN SECRETARY—D. Clunie Gregor.

Total Amount of Invested Funds, £4,095,589 16 3.

Annual Revenue, £703,450 19 9.

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Subscribed and Invested Capital—One Million Six Hundred Thousand Pounds.

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Of San Francisco.

MARINE.

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The Revenue for the year 1874 amounted to **£774,631**, yielding a net profit, after providing for all expenses, of **£200,139.**

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The premium income for the year 1874 amounted to **£240,635**, and the ascertained profit has enabled the Directors to declare a Bonus to the participating Policy-holders equal to One and a-half per cent. per annum on sums assured.

Entire Invested Funds now exceed Three Million Pounds Sterling.

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Wharf St., 24th Sept., 1875. se25 1m

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Or $21 per Month in Case of Accident.

Extra Premiums for Hazardous Occupations.

T. ALLSOP & CO.,
Government St., Victoria.

GENERAL AGENTS FOR BRITISH COLUMBIA.

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T. LUBBE,

Yates St., Victoria, B. C.

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PURCHASED AT HIGHEST MARKET RATES.

CASH ADVANCES made on Consignments to my correspondents in New York and London.

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